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**AMENDMENT**

Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed 11 September 2007, please amend the subject Patent Application as follows.

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